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to-date neckwear for Gentlemen and Ladies'. Give us a call, will be pleased to show you

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. J. H. Judd was at home Sunday.
Mr. C. H. Bell was at Red Lick Sunday.
Mr. Sam Lewis was in Louisville last week.
Mr. W. R. Lyon was in Columbia Tuesday.
Mr. J. B. Coffey was in Greensburg Monday.
Mr. M. Cravens was in Jamestown Monday.
Mr. W. T. Grant returned to Louisville Saturday.
Mr. F. Jeffries was in Jamestown Monday.
Mr. M. Seabolt, Louisville, was in town Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson are visiting at Creelsboro.
Mr. Frank Waggener was in Jamestown the first day of court.
Mr. Garnett Montgomery has been quite sick for several days.
Mr. Tyler Marshall, Campbellsville, was in town Tuesday.
Mr. Loyd Tresenwriter, Greensburg, was in Columbia Monday.
Mrs. Jas. Garnett, Jr., was quite sick several days of last week.
Mr. J. E. Murrell is attending the Grand Chapter in Louisville.
Mr. D. J. Schooling returned to his home at New Market Sunday.
Mrs. Kizzie Murrell was visiting relatives at Gradyville last Sunday.
Mrs. R. H. Price, who has been quite ill for several weeks is improving.
Judge W. W. Jones left for Jamestown court the first of the week.
Mr. W. L. Walker and wife returned from the market Wednesday night.
Mr. Joseph Rosenfeld and son, Joe Morris, are in Louisville this week.
Messrs. F. M. Robertson and E. M. Staples were in Burksville Sunday.
Supt. W. D. Jones and Mr. J. W. Johnston are in Jamestown this week.
Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Murrell are visiting relatives at Jamestown this week.
Mr. F. B. Grider, Esto, was in Columbia, Saturday en route from Louisville.
Judge W. W. Jones and Mr. Henry Aaron returned from Tompkinsville last Thursday.
Messrs. Richard Shively and Will Hoskins, Campbellsville, were in Columbia Sunday.
Judge Jas. Garnett and wife were visiting relatives in Marion and Boyle county last week.
Mr. Jo Coffey, Jr., and Miss Carrie Page returned from Campbellsville Sunday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Atkins left Friday for Mannsville to visit their son, Twyman, who is very sick.
Mrs. G. A. Kemp, who has been visiting relatives in Bradfordsville returned home Saturday.
Mr. W. H. Evans, who has been conducting the cooper shop at this place left last Tuesday morning.
Mr. Wm. Isbell, of Hart county, passed through Columbia last Friday, en route to his old home in Russell county.
Mrs. J. D. Walker, Mrs. H. C. Walker and son, Robert, are visiting the family of Mr. J. T. Kemp at Bradfordsville.
Mr. J. B. Patterson returned from Louisville last week and stopped over night in Columbia, en route for his home in Jamestown.
Messrs. J. F. Montgomery, James Garrett, Jr., Rollin Hurt and F. R. Winfrey have business in the Russell circuit court.
Messrs. W. T. Hawkins, Steve Wood, H. Yowell, Lebanon, W. W. Gates, and Major R. A. Hancock, Louisville, are in Columbia Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Cheatham and son, Cumberland county, paid the news office a visit. We are always glad to have our friends visit us.
Mrs. H. O. Baker was in Lebanon last week and underwent an operation a throat trouble. She has returned home and is getting along very

LOCAL JOTTINGS.

Miss Sallie Price, of Davies county, who has been visiting relatives and friends in this county several months left Monday morning for her home.
Mr. G. W. Spillman, of Green county, was in this section the first of the week for the purpose of securing a location. Mr. Spillman is a good citizen and we trust that he will decide to move to our county.
Mr. R. M. Grissom, who has been prospecting in the West, returned home last Friday night. Bob has the same opinion of the West as Mr. S. D. Barbee—a good country, but Kentucky is more home-like.
Mr. R. F. Paull and wife; Mrs. W. E. Bradshaw; Mr. M. Cravens and wife are in Louisville this week. Mr. Paull is representing Columbia Lodge, No. 96, F. & A. M. Mr. Cravens is looking at fine horses and the ladies are shopping.
Mr. John T. Harvey, who was visiting his mother in this city, returned to Lexington last week to resume his course of study. John is a bright young man and is making a hard fight for a thorough preparation for the business walks of life.
Mr. R. K. Young, Cumberland county, was badly hurt some several days ago while logging. From what we can hear one of his legs is badly mashed and he is confined to his room. We trust that he may speedily recover and ere long visit our city.
Ask for the 'Gen. Jo Wheeler cigar.'
Born to the wife of Junius Hancock on the 14th a daughter.
J. W. Sparks keeps the freshest and best line of family groceries. 2t
Wanted, 200 barrels of corn for food. W. L. Walker.
"Gen. Jo Wheeler" 5 cts cigar is the best. Sold by all dealers. 2-m.
Teachers who reported were paid last Saturday 20 per cent., of their draw.
There is work for every Democrat in Adair county from now on until the election.
Call on J. W. Sparks for all kinds of groceries. His stock is always fresh and prices to suit the times. 2t
Teachers' Association will be held at Pleasant Hill Saturday, October 27. A good program has been arranged.
Bananas, Oranges, Lemons, Grapes and all kinds of fruit kept constantly on hand at Sparks'. 2t.
If you want a good winter shoe, see Scott Tompkins' stock of mule skin shoes. They wear anything.
Jeffries & Son have just received a car load of the best wheat drills, both Hoe and Disc. Will sell low for cash.
The Plum Point Bridge was completed last Thursday. A fill about one hundred yards in length will have to be made.
For Rent.—The house and lot on College Avenue formerly occupied by C. T. Triplett. Apply to J. M. Traylor Columbia.
Tell my friends to smoke the Gov. J. C. W. Beckham 5 cent cigar, made for "the great common people," by V. M. Gowdy, Campbellsville, Ky.
When you visit Louisville, stop at the New Phoenix Hotel. First-class fare and well located, corner of 7th and Market Streets.
Rev. T. E. Walton, pastor of the Presbyterian Church in this city, will begin a protracted meeting at Ebenezer, Green county, this week.
We understand the Home Board of New York has accepted the donations made by the citizens of Columbia and that the proposed school is assured.
There will be preaching at the following places next Sunday:—T. F. Walton, Ebenezer; E. W. Barnett, this city; W. H. C. Sandidge, Union; J. O. Prock, Pleasant View; J. F. Roach, Price's Creek; Tobias Huffaker, Pleasant Hill; G. W. Montgomery, Egypt; W. P. Gordon, Cane Valley; T. L. Hulse, Elroy.

Town Taxes!

All town taxes are now due and must be paid. The per cent. goes on December 1, 1900. GEO. COFFEY, Collector.
Mr. Porter Strange is now located at Frost, Texas, and is doing business for the same firm he worked for in Hillsboro, they having a branch store in that city.
We publish an interesting paper on our fourth page [written by Miss Nettie Baker, this city, and read before an association of teachers in Shelby county].
Lost:—A white Royal Arch Key-stone between Columbia and the home of B. L. Conover. The finder will please leave at the News Office. W. B. CAVE.
Call and see my line men's and boys clothing and overcoats—by far best line we have ever shown. My Buckeye pants are up to date in fit and style. Walker.
A telegram was received Tuesday by Mrs. John H. Holladay stating that her husband was dangerous ill at Elba Alabama, she left Wednesday for that place.
Quarterly meeting for the Columbia Circuit will be held at Milltown Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 20 and 21. It will be conducted by Rev. Jesse L. Murrell, Presiding Elder in this district.
We especially invite the ladies to call and see our new dress goods, trimmings, neck wear, jackets, capes and furs. No trouble to show you. W. L. Walker.
Miss Nancy Lisle Schooling, niece of Mrs. H. C. Baker, this city, was married to Mr. John B. Nichols, of Danville, last Wednesday. The ceremony was performed at the Second Presbyterian church Lebanon.
Last Thursday was the first anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Coffey. In the evening an elegant luncheon was spread before their immediate relatives and a few friends.
Mrs. Martha Meader, an old resident of Columbia, and one of the most fashionable dress-makers in the State, has returned to this city for the winter. Ladies if you want your dress made to fit, and in the latest style, see her.
Messrs. Allen Pile and James Morrison have bought out W. L. Walker, and Russell & Murrell in the furniture line. They will soon have a full and complete line of furniture at bed-rock prices.
Geo. Coffey, our chief of police, has announced that he will have his crop of corn gathered this week. The only check is sufficient crib room and carpenters are pushing the work—erecting a large storage.
If the Stanford road was graded from the town limits to the creek it would afford a nice drive for the town people, a fine haul for the country folks and if all parties would assist this could be done and no one injured.
Rev. J. A. Johnson, of Glenfrost, was in town Monday. His circuit embraces, Glenfrost, Mt. Zion, Antioch, Concord, Tabor, Union and Clear Spring. Beginning on the 1st Sunday with the first and second running through his list.
In this issue of the News will be found the advertisement of Parson Moss & Co. They are fine mechanics and know their business. Any one needing blacksmithing or wagon work done will find them up-to-date workmen.
Paul H. Waggener has received a new line of Fall samples. If you need a new suit or part of a suit, overcoat or a mackintosh, give him a call. He sells superior goods, guarantees a fit, and his prices are lower than any other clothing man.
Quite a number of mules will be driven out of Adair county, bound for the Southern markets, immediately after the election. Mr. J. H. Young has a fine strong, Cravens & Waggener, Gust Jeffries and others. The stock is all in fine condition, and traders anticipate realizing good prices.

A VISIT TO VIRGINIA.

My trip to the south-west part of Old Virginia was indeed a pleasant one, though it was made short by the pressure of business matters.
Lee county, my old home, is one of the best locations in that part of Virginia, and while I only spent three days there, yet I saw several hundred fine short-horn cattle equal to any seen in the blue-grass section of this State. The truth is that Lee county is a fine grazing and agricultural country. My stay was so short that it was merely a hand-shake with many of my old friends and school-mates, but it's a great pleasure to shake occasionally.
Leaving Jonesville, the capital of Lee county, I went directly to Big Stone Gap in the county of Wise, which is probably the most noted spot in that part of the old State. At least it is the town where, a few years ago, the speculator exchanged his cash for dirt, which at that time was even more valuable than gold. It is the place where poles for electric lights were planted in the dense forests for more than two miles from the village and now stand as in my sentinels keeping watch over the magnificent structures, to be erected, that adorned the blue prints—the weapons of the real estate gents.
The place where many fond expectations and hard earned dollars were wrecked in the stream of depression and folly. It is the place that went up, went down, was a city, now a town. But it is a place, beyond a doubt, that the Great Maker of the universe intended to be a fit dwelling place for thousands of happy and intelligent people. It suffered, severely suffered from mistakes in its early career, yet it has passed through its worst days and is slowly but surely recovering. Its business men have passed through the fiery furnace of depression, they have kept the faith and will ere long receive the crown which they deserve. Business in that part of the country is fairly good though city making is not what it once was.
Coming from Big Stone I stopped over a day in that magic plat of ground called Middleboro. This city, whose builder and maker fled from the downward tendency of real estate some years ago is the home of several Adair county people who are pushing business and doing well. Business in Middleboro is a little on the quiet order just now due to the miners strike and the closing of the iron plants. The sale of goods is only cut short by a slack demand—that's the size of it. Well, there's no doubt about Middleboro, it has a future and is bound to come.
While in that part of the lovely Shenandoah we heard encouraging news from the Democrats. There's no Democrats of more grit and determination than those of the Mountains and they are making a fight that will redound to their glory and help keep Kentucky Democratic. Good gains will be made this year in the mountain counties. The Democrats can neither be bought nor intimidated. They are wide awake to the situation and have the courage of honest convictions. C. S. H.
Died.
Last Monday morning at 9 o'clock Mr. Thomas H. Tutt of Milltown departed this life. He had been in a feeble state of health for several months and his death was not unexpected. He had reached the ripe old age of 75 and was one of Adair county's most highly and respected citizens. His wife and three children survive him. Mr. James R. Tutt of Milltown, N. M. Tutt of Columbia and Mrs. Ed Johnson whose home is near Milltown. The body was laid to rest Tuesday at 10 o'clock in the Milltown cemetery. In this death Adair county loses one of her best citizens, his aged companion a loving husband and the children a fond and faithful father. One by one the old land marks disappear and go to their rewards. The News extends its sympathies to the bereaved family.
They Are Very Pleasant.
Smokers attention. He has come at last. The Never Dull, Log Run and Keystone cigar. Its made of cabbage leaves and rotten stock, bad flavor. If you don't believe it, try one and you will like it. Ask your merchant for it. Manufactured by S. L. Howie, Somerset, Ky.

Elsewhere in the News the growing prosperity of Columbia and vicinity is mentioned yet there other enterprises that could be opened up, greatly enhancing the business of the town and country.

In four hundred yards from the court-house is an excellent tobacco plant for manufacturing purposes, located in a first-class house for carrying on the business. The outfit is idle and can be secured for much less than cost, and a tobaccoist could do well here in the manufacture of fine chewing and smoking tobacco. The county grows the tobacco, and there is no good reason why this branch of business should not be pushed. We already have a cooper's shop, doing a very good business and a furniture factory is about ready to start, all the machinery being on the ground. Some years ago there was a tannery in Columbia, furnished leather to all the adjoining counties. There is money in these enterprises if men of surplus means will come to the front. Money is made by taking chances. Who will branch out?
A great many of the grown persons of this county remember Cyrus Hurt, brother of L. B. and Rollin Hurt of this city, who left Adair county for the West eighteen years ago. Several years after he took his departure letters came, but after awhile they stopped, and for more than ten years not a word concerning him reached Columbia and the family mourned him as dead. A short time ago news reached here that a man answering the description of Cyrus and named Hurt was in the Chickashaw Nation. Letters were written developing that the lost had been found. A few weeks ago Mr. R. M. Grissom, who is a first cousin of Mr. Hurt, visited the Nation and found him at a little place call Chickasha, where he had been for a number of years. It was a delightful meeting, as Cyrus knew but little of the occurrences in Adair county since he took his departure. He did not know that Rollin was married, and many other interesting incidents were told him. He asked about every body in Adair county and is very anxious to see his mother and the rest of his family. He has never married, and informed Mr. Grissom that he would visit his old home soon.
Slowly but surely the town of Columbia is improving and a few more fleeting years will prove that this town has many advantages that are not common to other cities of even greater population. Messrs. Pile & Morrison have decided to engage in the manufacture of furniture and they are now expediting their machinery bought a few days ago, which will enable them to make anything in the furniture line that this country needs and at prices lower than offered in the cities. Then, again, we are to have a school placed on such a basis that will guarantee success. The Ladies' Home Board of Education, located in New York, has accepted the proposition of this community of \$1,500 and will in return give \$500 annually to aid said school. With the proper man as Principal aided by a \$500 contribution together with an united effort on the part of the people of this town we will have one of the best institutions of learning anywhere in Southern Kentucky. It's power for good, it's stimulating tendencies to business and its full scope of usefulness will in due time be one of the chief factors in giving Columbia prestige over surrounding towns.
Notice To Tax Payers.
J. W. Hurt or one of his deputies will meet the tax payers of Adair county at the following places on the dates given. Save cost and be ready to pay.
Riley, Glenfrost, Oct. 16.
Kniffey, Elroy, Oct. 17.
Pellyton, Sparksville, Oct. 18.
Purdy, Gradyville, Oct. 19.
Stapp's Springs, Cane Valley, Oct. 20.
Milltown, Oct. 22.
Eat What You Like.
When you take Morley's Liver and Kidney Cordial, for then, dyspepsia, indigestion, heartburn, foul breath, dizziness, and the long train of similar troubles will disappear and your cleansed and awakened system will demand food. Sound digestion and sound appetite go together, and both follow the use of this time-tried remedy. Sold by W. M. Bell, Joppa, Ky.
Bismarck's Iron Nerve
Was the result of his splendid health Indomitable will and tremendous energy are not found where Stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bowels are out of order. If you want these qualities and the success they bring, use Dr. King's New Life Pills. Only 25 cents at T. E. Paull's drug store.

FROM ELD. Z. T. WILLIAMS.

MILTON, Ky., Oct. 8, 1900.
Editor of the News:
I came to this place two weeks ago last Friday night to begin a meeting with Mt. Byrd Church.
Our good brother and former co-laborer, M. O. Ewing, is the beloved pastor of this Church, hence it was a great pleasure to me to have the privilege of being associated with my brother again in the work of the Lord.
On Saturday after my arrival we visited the Byrd Cemetery where rest the remains of the beloved F. G. Allen, who ministered to this Church about fourteen years. There is a modest monument erected at his grave, but his life and work here is the real and most enduring monument in the hearts of the people. This too is the only monument after all that will be of real good to us. May our Heavenly Father help us all to build such a monument.
Mt. Byrd Church dates back to 1832, early in the history of Reformation by the Campbellites. It was first organized by old brother Mosley in the house where Eb King now lives, who by the way, was a student in C. C. College when the institution was seeing its best days. He met his good wife, who was a Miss Thurman, of Lincoln county, for the first time in the College at Columbia.
The present church-house is a large commodious building, 40x60 feet and was named Mt. Byrd on account of its location—being on a tract of land known as the Byrd survey, one mile from the town of Milton, on the Ohio river. The Church has been prosperous for many years. It has now a membership of 800 and has a live Sunday-school, a good board of officers which meet once a month.
M. O. Ewing, who is well and favorably known in Adair and Russell counties, is the present preacher. He has been laboring with the church since last January; and he has endeared himself to the entire membership by his good work of labor and love. He is highly esteemed here by the entire church for his manly deportment and his model character, and is fast coming to the front as one of our best young preachers. May he labor long with this people and be a blessing to them and they to him.
Our meeting continued two weeks, resulting in 18 additions to the church. Many of our best preachers have held meetings for this people among whom I will mention E. L. Frazier, R. A. Hopper, Bro. Guard, of Indianapolis, J. W. McGarvey, jr., W. K. Azbill, Ernest Elliot and many others.
We are now aboard the Lizzie Bay, one of the low water Ohio river Steamers, en route for Salem Church in Barren county. Will perhaps remain there ten days and then hold a two week's meeting at Bearwallow Hart county.
Hope to be at the meeting at Christian church in your town to be held in November by brother Shouse. Also will try to be at the Co-operation meeting at Mt. Pleasant the fourth Sunday in October.
Z. T. Williams.